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REVEALS THE FOLLOWING ROAD CONSTRUCTION

AND HILITARY ACTIVITY NORTH OF BOUN NEUA. LAOS:

- A ROAD IN MID TO LATE STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION IS OBSERVED TO EXTEND WORTH FROM ROUTE 49 AT BOUN NEUA (2138N 10154E. UTH RDS18958), GENERALLY FOLLOWING THE ALIGNMENT OF ROUTE 491 (AS PORTRAYED ON MAP REF), TO 2139N 18154E (UTM RD811967); AND THEN NORTHWEST TO ITS TERMINUS AT 2148N 18152E (UTM QD975997), 5.5 NM FROM THE CHINA/LAOS BORDER. NO CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY IS NOTED BEYOND THIS POINT. A SHORT BRANCH ROAD EXTENDS NE FROM THE NEW ROAD AT 2139N 16154E (UTM RD665973) TO UTM RD615983.
- 2. A PROBABLE HILITARY CAMP IS LOCATED ON BOTH SIDES OF THE NEW ROAD AT 2139N 18154E (UTM RD885973). AT LEAST 18 BUILDINGS ARE OBSERVED THROUGH A DENSE TREE CANOPY WITH SEVERAL PERSONNEL POSITIONS SCATTERED THROUGHOUT THE AREA.

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